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## DOLLAR DAY SPIRIT WILL FIX VALUES NEXT SATURDAY

STORES WILL ALL UNITE IN  
SECOND BIG BARGAIN  
GIVING PLAN

Spirit of Trade Building by Means of  
Big Values for a Dollar Will Pre-  
vail Among Merchants of City

All roads will lead to Belding next  
Saturday, October 21.

Thousands of people will come here  
from every direction.

The reason—BELDING'S DOLLAR  
DAY.

WHY IS DOLLAR DAY?  
Because all the people of this com-  
munity are invited to profit by the  
public spirit and progressive trading  
methods of the reliable merchants of  
Belding.

Because the proprietors of the many  
stores and trading places have  
joined to give the greatest dollar  
values ever offered in any city in  
Michigan.

No great profits are expected by  
the merchants—An fact there will be  
losses to the merchants in many of  
the sales made for a dollar.

Volume of business at curtailed  
profits is the spirit of the enterprise,  
combined with the purpose of estab-  
lishing more firmly in this community  
the fact that Belding is the place to  
trade for good values and reliable  
merchandise.

Future business is the aim of the  
Belding merchants—and by giving  
big values for a dollar, increased  
business is sure to come—that is a  
sound business principle.

The spirit of this progressive meth-  
od of trade building is being absor-  
bed by the consuming public, and Sat-  
urday will witness co-operation be-  
tween business men and the consum-  
ing public in a mutual benefit.

Dollar Day will be a stupendous  
profit-sharing festival between the  
merchants of Belding and the people  
who make the prosperity of the stores  
possible. It is a mutual proposition  
by which everyone profits.

The merchants have made special  
preparations for Dollar Day. There  
will be single articles sold for a dol-  
lar that ordinarily sell for much  
more. The sales forces are all re-  
ception committees and will receive  
everybody with courtesy whether they  
buy or not; or whether their pur-  
chases be large or small. It will be  
a day of friendly greeting.

Free warm lunches will be served  
to all guests of the city in Millard  
hall. Provision is made for checking  
all parcels there too. The rooms will  
be warmed and willing caretakers will  
be in charge.

Belding's Second Dollar Day will be  
the occasion of profit, education and  
entertainment at prices in keeping  
with the spirit of the day.

Former Residents Here  
Thomas Crebbin and wife of Chat-  
tanoga, Tennessee have been guests  
of Mrs. Kate Hill and Mrs. Belle  
Mann.

Mr. Crebbin was one of the early  
day residents of this city and had a  
large circle of friends. He was  
prominent in the work of establish-  
ing the Masonic order here and was  
master of the lodge at one time. He  
has been a resident of Tennessee for  
many years.

Singing Teacher for Belding  
Miss Marguerite Lamb is fortunate  
in securing for this city the services  
of J. Jans Helder, a teacher of sing-  
ing, of Grand Rapids, on Wednesdays  
of each week. He will have a studio  
at the home of Miss Lamb. Mr. Hel-  
der is her former teacher.

Rummage Sale for Hospital  
The city hospital rummage sale  
will be opened in the building re-  
cently vacated by the sanitary gro-  
cery November 1. Any one having  
articles to donate, will notify Mrs.  
Ray Edwards and Mrs. F. A. Wash-  
burn.

## CARROLL DALY TAKES BRIDE FROM BOSTON

A very pretty high mass wedding  
took place at St. Joseph's Catholic  
church Saturday morning at 7:30  
o'clock, when Carroll Daly of this  
city and Miss Irene Lillian Daly, of  
Boston, Massachusetts, were united  
in marriage. Rev. Fr. J. M. Zindler  
officiating. The double ring service  
was used. The bride couple were  
attended at the altar by Mrs. Min-  
nie Murphy, of Boston, Mass., sister  
of the bride, and Fred Meade of  
this city. The bride wore a wine  
colored traveling suit and her travel-  
ing hat.

After the ceremony at the church,  
breakfast was served to the bridal  
party at Hotel Belding and Mr. and  
Mrs. Daly left for a short wedding  
trip to Grand Rapids. They will  
take up their residence on Kenwood  
avenue, on Peck's hill.

Mr. Daly came here from Boston  
nearly a year ago and has had charge  
of the cotton department at the  
Richardson mill, where he has proven  
himself a very capable manager. He  
has made many friends in the city  
who extend their best wishes to both  
Mr. and Mrs. Daly.

## PROMINENT LOWELL CITIZENS WERE IN- STANTLY KILLED

A most distressing accident occur-  
ed in Lowell Saturday morning  
when Charles Jakeway and Chas. E.  
Francisco were instantly killed while  
attempting to cross the Grand Trunk  
railroad track in Mr. Jakeway's au-  
tomobile. The collision occurred at  
7:47 a. m., on a private crossing on  
the road near the stock yards and  
was witnessed by John Youngs of  
Lowell and the crew of a freight  
train standing there waiting for the  
flyer to pass. The automobile was  
smashed into fragments and the car  
and men being very badly cut up.  
The front end of the locomotive was  
also badly disfigured and put out of  
commission.

Mr. Jakeway was a prominent busi-  
ness man of that city and his father-  
in-law, Mr. Francisco, resided with  
him. The latter is well-known here,  
being the father of Waldo Francisco, a  
former mayor of this city, and also  
the father of Mrs. Chas. Krum.

Mr. Francisco has conducted a boat  
livery at Wabasis lake for the past  
two or three years and was making  
arrangements to spend the winter at  
Zephyr Hills, Florida, with his son.  
He and Mr. Jakeway were excellent  
citizens and their tragic death was a  
shock to their many friends and busi-  
ness associates.

Killed Instantly  
Barton D. Hunting, a former resi-  
dent of Courtland, Kent county, and  
prominent businessman of Rockford,  
but late of Lansing, as traveling sales-  
man for a harvester company, was in-  
stantly killed at Bath while crossing  
the railroad track. Another man  
riding with him also met death.

## "LAND OF LIBERTY" WILL BE SHOWN AT GRATAN

The Vergennes Grange will give a  
temperance play at the Gratatan  
Grange hall next Saturday evening,  
October 21, beginning at 8:30 o'clock.  
The title of the play is, "The Land of  
Liberty," and it is sure to be good.  
The play will be given in four acts  
and will be worth going miles to see.  
In another column of the Banner is  
the advertisement of the play. Turn  
to the advertisement for prices of ad-  
mission. Every person within miles  
of Gratatan should attend this enter-  
tainment.

The L. O. T. M. will meet at Mrs.  
Tom Kidd's, corner of Bridge and W.  
May streets, Wednesday afternoon,  
October 25.

## \$10.00 Reward is Offered by the Banner for Finding Dollar Day Cash Coupons

Coupons Redeemable in Cash at the Banner Office Will be Attached to  
Dollar Day Merchandise

The Belding BANNER again pub-  
lishes a picture of the fascinating  
Miss Dollar Day. Perhaps it has a  
familiar appearance to you, perhaps  
not, but in any event she is the lady

THIS COUPON  
GOOD FOR



\$1.00 in cash if presented  
at the Banner office on  
Dollar Day.

who eluded Dollar Day purchasers  
March 11.

Miss Dollar Day will be one of the  
Dollar Day throng again next Satur-

## PLEASED WITH THE ADVANCE OF CITY-- SPEAKS OF TARIFF

A. N. BELDING SAYS COMPANY  
IS ANXIOUS ABOUT AFTER  
WAR CONDITIONS

During the visit of the managers  
of the branch offices of Belding Bros.  
and company to this city last week,  
A. N. Belding, as usual paid the Ban-  
ner office a visit and stated his views  
of the present industrial and trade  
conditions, and also his ideas for the  
betterment of the city.

Mr. Belding criticised the condition  
of the curbs along the Main street  
paying severely and expressed sur-  
prise that the ragged edges had not  
been removed long ago. He was  
gratified with the excellent pavement  
and the appearance of the boulevard  
light system. As to completing the  
unfinished work, he stated that he did  
not care how it was done, but that it  
should be done. "If it is the city's  
job then let the city do it," he said,  
"but if it is the duty of the property  
owners I believe they should do it."

"I think the city is thriving and we  
want to keep it in a healthy condition.  
We have operated the mills to ad-  
vantage the past few years because we  
have produced manufactured goods  
from raw materials purchased at the  
old price and sold them at an ad-  
vance. This has enabled us to show  
a satisfactory profit the past year.  
But we are now manufacturing from  
raw materials that cost us many  
many per cent more, at increased  
wages to laborers and increased cost  
of all other things entering into our  
production. How are we going to  
dispose of the finished goods at even  
the cost of production is now causing  
us and our branch managers much  
anxiety."

"After the European war is over  
American business is surely going to  
suffer and American labor will be the  
first to feel the hard times if we do  
not place a tariff on our goods that  
will protect our industries. I favor  
tariff for revenue only with all coun-  
tries that maintain a labor standard  
equal to that of the United States, but  
firmly believe that we should have  
protection from those countries that  
permit child labor and cheap em-  
ployees in their industries."

While here Mr. Belding took up  
some tentative plans for making this  
city a public gift in memory of the  
late Mrs. Belding.

L. O. F. No. 417  
All the lodge members are request-  
ed to turn out Tuesday, October 31.  
We are going to put on second de-  
gree work, and have a good supper.  
Sep. Hutchinson, Secretary.

## "Home Rule" That Is Not True To Its Name

The hope of the wet forces in this  
state is to before the voters by having  
the so-called "Home Rule" proposition  
submitted November 7.

Now this proposed "Home Rule" is  
nothing but a scheme to disfranchise  
the farmers of Michigan in settling  
the question of "saloon" or "no sal-  
oon." If it carries, then each village  
and city in this state will decide by  
vote of the people who live within its  
limits whether or not saloons will be  
licensed within that city or village. A  
more unjust or unfair proposition  
could not be conceived.

That proposition carries the idea  
that only the people who live in a  
village or city are concerned or have  
a right to be concerned about whether  
saloons are allowed there or not. That

day. She will spend the day in the  
stores of the merchants who are ad-  
vertising in this issue. Any Dollar  
Day purchaser will be Miss Dollar  
Day, whether man, woman or child.  
EVERY PURCHASER OF DOL-  
LAR DAY MERCHANDISE WILL  
BE A MISS DOLLAR DAY. Here  
is the Banner's offer for Dollar Day  
next Saturday, October 21. Among  
the articles advertised by the Belding  
merchants in their special Dollar Day  
advertisements this week will be  
found tickets, which will be honored  
for cash when brought to the Ban-  
ner office on Dollar Day. The Ban-  
ner has concealed cash coupons in  
many articles of merchandise to be  
sold Dollar Day. The person buying  
the merchandise in which a ticket is  
concealed will immediately bring the  
coupon to the Banner office and re-  
ceive the cash called for on the cou-  
pon. Three of the coupons will be  
good for \$1.00 each; six will be good  
for 50 cents each and eight will be  
good for 25 cents each. Herewith  
we print a duplicate of the coupon  
just as you will find it in or on the  
merchandise.

Now here is how you can get the  
special prizes. You must read over

## AL WELLS SOLD OUT DRY LINE

Al. Wells has sold his dray and  
transfer line to Alfred Moore, the lat-  
ter taking possession of the business  
Monday. Mr. Wells has operated the  
dry business in this city for the past  
twenty-two years and has seen it  
grow from a one-horse line to its pre-  
sent large business. Mr. Wells has  
not yet decided as to his future plans  
but his many friends of his and his  
family hope they will remain in the  
city.

## OTISCO RESIDENT SINCE FORTIES BURIED SUNDAY

MISS AMELIA C. COOLEY WAS  
FOR YEARS A TEACHER  
IN TOWNSHIPS

Funeral services for the late Ame-  
lia C. Cooley, who died in Traverse  
City last Thursday, were held in the  
Congregational church at two o'clock  
p. m., Sunday. There was a large  
gathering of her old neighbors and  
friends besides the relatives present,  
and also members of the Daughters  
of Rebekah and O dd fellows were  
there in a body to pay their last  
respects to the deceased. Rev. Allan  
J. Blair officiated and gave an excel-  
lent sermon. Appropriate hymns were  
sung by Fred Jewell. Her re-  
mains were placed in the cemetery  
at Otisco. The beautiful floral offer-  
ing and emblem of the D. of R. graced  
the casket.

The deceased was born in Webster,  
Washtenaw county, Mich., June 15,  
1843 and came with her parents to  
Otisco in 1844, where she resided un-  
til her death. She came to her home  
in Belding twenty-two years ago,  
where she lived an exemplary life.  
She leaves two brothers, M. A. and  
J. G. Cooley, of this city, and one  
nephew, Owen Cooley of Chicago,  
and two nieces, Mrs. L. Goodell and  
Miss Elsie Cooley of Mason City Ia.  
Miss Cooley was a devoted mem-  
ber of the Congregational church; also  
a member of the Rebekah lodge of  
this city and was its secretary for  
a number of years. Miss Cooley in  
her younger days taught school in  
a number of school districts in this  
and adjoining counties, and there are  
many of her old pupils living in the  
vicinity who remember her very kindly.  
At the time of her death she was  
seventy-three years old.

The bearers were: Rufus Morse,  
Wad Fiske, Bert Fiske, John Morse,  
Clayton Kimberly and L. J. Kimberly.

## BELDING BROS. & CO. GIVE RESIDENTS MOVING PICTURES

SCENES SHOW SILK CULTURE  
FROM WORM TO WEARER  
IN OPEN AIR

Hundreds of Belding people were  
delighted to see the pictures of the  
silk industry shown on the side of  
Belding Bros. & Company's mill No. 2  
last Wednesday evening by E. R.  
Warner of the Star theatre. The pic-  
tures were prepared at much expense  
by the Belding Bros., the company  
having spent over ten thousand dol-  
lars to secure them.

The taking of the pictures and the  
making of the films was under the  
direct supervision of Miss Florence  
W. Marr, educational director of  
Belding Bros. & Co. Miss Marr spent  
considerable time in China and Japan  
securing photographs of the silk cul-  
ture there. Later she came to Belding  
and worked several weeks pre-  
paring the settings for the local pic-  
tures. Miss Marr selected the spec-  
ial machines to be photographed and  
arranged the work of the operators  
appearing. She also planned the  
scenes on the river, at the boarding  
houses and elsewhere. Assisting her  
in the work was Major C. W. Smith,  
New York manager of Belding Bros.  
& Company.

One reel of the pictures shown  
Wednesday evening was of scenes in  
and around New York. The scenes  
were then shifted to China and Japan,  
where detailed views were shown  
showing the life of the silk worm  
from the egg to its death in the ca-  
coon. The little worms were shown  
in action, spinning the silk, laying  
eggs, and in fact all their stages.  
Nimble-fingered Japanese girls and  
men were shown caring for the worm  
and performing the varied operations  
connected with the industry. The  
mulberry groves were shown and the  
workers gathering the leaves for the  
silk worms; collecting it in baskets  
after cutting it into fine pieces for  
the young worms.

After the work was followed to the  
point where the silk was spun and  
placed into bales, scenes were shown  
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Announcement  
Mr. J. Jans Helder, teacher of sing-  
ing, from Grand Rapids, Mich., wishes  
to announce that he has opened a  
studio in Belding at the residence of  
Mr. H. A. Lamb. Lessons will be  
given on Wednesdays of each week.  
Those desiring to arrange for lessons  
please communicate with Miss Mar-  
guerite Lamb, 623 South Pleasant  
street.

## OVENHOUSE--SCOTT OLD NEIGHBORS MARRY

The marriage of James Ovenhouse  
and Mrs. Della Scott took place at  
the officiating magistrate's home, E.  
B. Lapham, esq., last Thursday even-  
ing at seven o'clock.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs.  
Ovenhouse repaired to his home, 321  
East Division street, where they will  
reside.

Time and fate bring about many  
strange and interesting happenings.  
Mr. Ovenhouse was a soldier in the  
Civil war and has been living a lone-  
ly life here since the death of his  
wife about two years ago. Recently  
Mrs. Scott came to Grand Rapids on  
a visit and she and Mr. Ovenhouse  
happened to meet. On her first visit  
here, about two weeks ago, in their  
conversation it developed that their  
families were old neighbors living in  
Burr Oak, Mich., and Mrs. Scott, then  
Adella Chesley, was a young miss of  
16 years, whose brother, Thomas  
Chesley worked for Mr. Ovenhouse as  
a carpenter. This was about forty  
years ago. Many changes have taken  
place since then.

They are now cozily settled and en-  
joying life with the best wishes of  
friends and relatives.

## WET CAMPAIGNERS HELD MEETING HERE LAST SATURDAY

ADDRESSES WERE DELIVERED  
TO SMALL AUDIENCES IN  
HALF-HEARTED MANNER

Belding was visited Saturday by  
members of the county "wet" cam-  
paign committee and some outside  
speakers. The automobile load drove  
up to the northeast corner of Pleas-  
ant and Main streets for the meeting  
they had planned to hold.

The first speaker was C. W. Broe-  
man, an attorney from Cincinnati.  
He endeavored to explain the work-  
ing of the proposed "Home Rule"  
amendment, if it should be voted in  
on November 7. He also endeavor-  
ed to explain the dire difficulties and  
troubles local option and prohibition  
had brought upon the dry territories  
and dry states. He also showed, to  
his own satisfaction, the excellent  
plan proposed by the Michigan  
"Home Rule" league in the "Home  
Rule" amendment.

Broeman asserted that it was none  
of this city's business if Detroit had  
saloons, and that that city should be  
permitted to vote as it pleased in the  
issue. Many other arguments, equal-  
ly weak, were presented by the  
speaker. During his talk he wore  
such a dejected look on his face and  
refused to look his listeners in the  
eye to such an extent that it was evi-  
dent that he was delivering a forced  
speech.

The second speaker, introduced as  
Rev. Dr. John Emory Roberts, of  
Kansas City, told his hearers the  
miserable failure (?) of the working  
of state-wide prohibition in Kansas.  
His discussion too, lacked depth and  
was delivered in a half-hearted way.  
At the conclusion of the talks the  
gentlemen drove away uncheered,  
without handshakes and without dem-  
onstration.

Fifty people stopped to hear the  
speakers and the campaigners stated  
that they had had little success  
in getting a crowd any place. The  
people, they said, simply did not wish  
to hear their side of the question and  
would not come out to listen. They  
considered their cause lost, but ap-  
parently felt compelled to put in their  
time to the cause.

## RICHARDSON SILK CO. ADDITION ALMOST DONE

The roof on the new addition to the  
plant of the Richardson Silk company  
is now on. It will only be necessary  
to set the new glass until the whole  
structure will be enclosed. Sub-floors  
are all laid and work is in progress  
laying the last floors. Building of  
offices, which will be moved to the  
second floor of the new structure, will  
require more time. The main parts  
of the structure can be used within a  
week, however.

## HER LIFE WORK DONE MRS. N. P. WERNER IS NOW AT REST

The death of Mrs. Nicholas P. Wer-  
ner occurred at the Werner home, 203  
East Pearl street, Saturday, October  
14, at about two o'clock p. m. She  
passed away into the sleep that knows  
no waking in this life and after sev-  
eral weeks of suffering into calm and  
peaceful rest. Her passing away at  
this time in her beautiful life, al-  
though not unexpected, has cast a  
cloud of sorrow over many hearts,  
for her friends were legion—"none  
knew her but to love her."

Mrs. Werner's illness began about  
two years ago and medical treatment  
not giving permanent relief, she un-  
derwent an operation in July, a year  
ago, at one of the hospitals in Grand  
Rapids, by Dr. Corbus, which reliev-  
ed her condition, and she continued  
to improve until taken with la grippe  
in February, since which time she  
has gradually failed in health. Dur-  
ing all her affliction she was cheerful  
and in good spirits, always having  
a pleasant smile, although conscious  
that the end was approaching.

The deceased, whose maiden name  
was Mary A. Kohn, was the daughter  
of Peter Kohn and at the time of her  
death was fifty-five years, five  
months and eleven days old. She  
was married to Mr. Werner May 20,  
thirty-two years ago. The following  
day they went to his farm in Grat-  
tan, where they lived until moving to  
Belding four years ago. Besides her  
husband she leaves three sons—Ed-  
ward J. Werner of Cedar Rapids, Ia.,  
Arthur M. Werner of Grattan, and  
Carl M. Werner of this city.

Mrs. Werner was intensely loyal to  
her church and the Catholic faith. She  
was a member of the Goodfellowship  
club, the Ladies Aid of St. Joseph's  
parish, the Grange, and the Hook and  
Needle club.

The funeral was held in St. Joseph's  
Catholic church Tuesday, Rev. Fr.  
J. M. Zindler officiating. There was  
a very large gathering of friends and  
neighbors who came to pay their last  
respects, the church being crowded to  
overflowing. Her remains were borne  
to St. Joseph's cemetery and laid at  
rest, the bearers being George Kemp,  
Frank Brown, Pat Roe, James Griffin,  
Theodore Blasen and Thomas Brack-  
en.

## REP. WARNER'S RECORD MOST COMMENDABLE

The voters of Ionia county should  
feel proud of the record of Repre-  
sentative Fred L. Warner in the state  
legislature the past two years. He  
has been a most efficient lawmaker  
and has kept his ear to the ground in  
an effort to find out what his con-  
stituents wanted, and then has given  
them that legislation before they  
scarcely knew they wanted it.

During his two years in office Mr.  
Warner has been influential in se-  
curing the passage of an amendment  
to the Boarding House law, known as  
the "Ten Day Amendment." This  
eliminates the former practice of  
making the county prosecutor's office  
a collection agency for old board bills  
and requires that claimants enter  
their claims within ten days of the  
accumulation of the debt. Mr. War-  
ner also prepared the Absent Voter's  
law, which every one concedes is  
a just measure for traveling men  
and those compelled to leave home  
at election time. The law is in strict  
compliance with the constitutional  
amendment passed two years previ-  
ous to its adoption.

Then especially good is Mr. War-  
ner's service to his district in se-  
curing a trunk line road from Howard  
City to Belding and also from Lowell  
to Belding, thus giving this city state  
roads, when constructed, to Lowell,  
Ionia and north to Howard City.

Mr. Warner's excellent service to  
the county should certainly entitle  
him to the office another term. We  
need such men in our legislative halls,  
and every voter in Ionia county will  
be serving his own best needs by vot-  
ing for Mr. Warner's return.

The Belding Vulcanizing company  
have leased the second floor of their  
building to the Rex Upholstering com-  
pany, which has moved its business  
here from Portland. The proprietor,  
Wetmore, and the families of James  
and Joseph Gaunt are moving here.

## Merchants Believe in Banner Advertising Space

The Banner this week is presenting to its readers  
sixteen pages of good reading in the second big Dollar  
Day issue. Each page carries a goodly amount of ad-  
vertising as well as clean, spicy reading matter. In  
soliciting the advertisements from the merchants, enter-  
ing into the Second Big Dollar Day activities, the Banner  
has not asked for one single inch that it did not consider  
would be a benefit to the advertiser. In fact it was neces-  
sary, as in the first Dollar Day issue, to turn away some  
advertising that our merchants wished to have run.

The Banner wishes to thank all those who contribut-  
ed to this Dollar Day issue and their friendly co-opera-  
tion in assisting to make this issue of the Banner correct-  
ly representative of the progressive business sections of  
Belding. In all its twenty-eight years work the Banner  
has stood ever ready to herald the good things of Belding  
and of Belding merchants to the world. That the busi-  
ness men of Belding believe in the merits of Banner ser-  
vice is attested by the fact that they purchased liberally  
of space to acquaint Banner readers with the excellent  
quality of their merchandise. In no case whatever did  
the Banner solicitor urge an advertiser to take more space  
than he or she desired, and which he believed would be  
of financial benefit to the advertiser. The Banner man-  
agement believes that it really pays to advertise and that  
a blanket circulation such as the Banner maintains for  
the merchants of Belding is greatly beneficial to adver-  
tisers who use Banner space. Not only is this true of edi-  
tions such as this, but it is equally true every issue of  
the Banner.

Every Banner reader may be assured a cordial wel-  
come to the stores of any and all our advertisers, and a  
genuine effort to please in every transaction. The Ban-  
ner is every week a complete directory of the real worth  
while merchandise offerings in the city.

## You and Your Town

No matter how little to do and see  
There is in your town—on your street;  
No matter how lively the place may be;  
No matter how dirty—or neat;

If you think it's nothing at all to you  
Whether anything happens or not,  
So long as the business you manage to do  
Pays you to stay in the spot;

If you have no feelings of sorrow or pride  
For the looks of the town, or its name,  
If you're just that selfish you're satisfied  
With playing your own little game;

Why, then, here's what I think of you,  
And I'd say the same to your face;  
I don't care a darn how much business  
you do,  
I call you a town disgrace!

Why don't you take off your coat and join  
With the rest of the population?  
This isn't a day of each one for the coin,  
It's a day of co-operation!

Therefore every one who wants a dry Michigan should vote

[X] "Yes" on State Wide Prohibition, and  
[X] "No" on Home Rule.